

Introduction Speech

(1) 'een'thu _____
name

tthu nu s-hwunitum'a'lh nu sne.

tu nu s-hwunitum'a'lh nu skwish.

tthu nu s-hwulmuhwa'lh nu sne.

(2) tun'ni' tsun 'utl' _____
place

snuw'nuw'us, snuneymuhw, leey'qsun, shts'uminus, pune'luxuth', xulelt-hw,
quw'utsun', me'luxelh, mutouliye'

Note: ‘tun’ is a prefix that means ‘from’

tun'ni' [tun' + ni'] from there

tun'i [tun' + 'i] from here

tun'untsu [tun' + 'untsu] 'from where?'

(3) 'uy' nu shqwaluwun kwunus _____

Examples:

'uy' nu shqwaluwun kwunus 'i hwu'inamut. [shqweluwan]
I am happy that I managed to get here.

'uy' nu shqwaluwun kwunus 'i lumnalu.
I am happy to see you all.

'uy' nu shqwaluwun kwunus 'i kwun'atul' 'utl' Ihwulup.
I am happy to be here together with you.

'uy' nu shqwaluwun kwunus 'i sq'uq'ip 'utl' Ihwulup.
I am happy to be here with you.

'uy' nu shqwaluwun kwunus 'i ta'tul'ut tthu hul'q'umi'num' sqwal.
I am happy to be learning the Hul'q'umi'num' language.